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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the nonfinal Office Action dated August 18, 2008. An extension of the deadline for response to the Office Action is respectfully requested pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and the appropriate fee is submitted herewith.

The listing of claims begins on page 2 of this paper. No additional claims fees are due.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.